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**NORTHBRIDGE BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT**

*Charleston, SC.* The City of Charleston Department of Parks will be working with youth volunteers from the surrounding community on the Northbridge Beautification Project on Saturday, November 7, 2009 beginning at 9:00AM until approximately 11:00 AM.

Miranda Carruth, a local high school student, approached Councilmember Aubry Alexander proposing a beautification project for the area directly off of the North Bridge when entering West Ashley. Miranda also offered to gather volunteers to help with the project. Councilmember Alexander coordinated this project with the Parks Department. The Department of Parks will plant five crape myrtles on Friday and youth volunteers will plant nandinas and salvias as well as mulching on Saturday.

The Department of Parks was responsible for the design of the project and working with SCDOT for the encroachment permit. The plantings will take place on the high spot of land off the Northbridge when entering West Ashley.

This project was made possible with the following donors:  
Northbridge Piggly Wiggly donated \$500 towards the project  
West Ashley Home Depot generously donated the 80 nandinas  
Charleston County donated the compost for the project  
Kapstone Paper donated the mulch for the project.

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